THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION No.9426 of 2006

28.04.2006

Between:

K.Ramanaiah, and others.

… Petitioners

AND

The Mandal Revenue Officer, Gooty Mandal, Anantapur District, and another.

… Respondents

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ORDER:

This Writ Petition is filed challenging the proceedings of the first respondent dated 03.08.2002 whereby and whereunder the land assigned to the petitioner was resumed on the ground that the assignees kept the lands as waste and violated the conditions of patta. The predecessors of the petitioners were assigned the lands in Chetnepalli Village of Gooty Mandal in Anantapur District in the year 1961 and the assignees allegedly brought the lands into cultivation. When there was an attempt to interfere with the possession of the petitioners, they filed a writ petition, being W.P.No.14891 of 2002. The same was disposed of on 16.08.2002 directing the respondents not to dispossess the petitioners without due process of law. The petitioners allege that recently the officials from the office of the first respondent visited the land and took measurements. On enquiry they were informed that the land is proposed to be allotted to third parties. Therefore, they approached the Mandal Revenue Officer and they were informed about the proceedings resuming the land. The petitioners allege that the impugned order is issued without any notice and that the ground on which the land is resumed is incorrect and the petitioners' predecessors were cultivating the land.

The petitioners have now challenged the impugned proceedings dated 03.08.2002

after lapse of about four years. Though it is alleged that there is no notice to them, this Court is not convinced with the submission or contention. If so advised, it shall be open to the petitioners to avail the remedies before the revenue authorities. This Writ Petition cannot be entertained.

The Writ Petition, with the above observations, is accordingly dismissed. No costs.

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(**V.V.S.RAO, J**)

28.04.2006

vs